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Rooms with or without board, from the house of Bathvooms, a laid on throughout the house. 250 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1868	and payable in Hongkong having at least two proved names uncome_oted in general parable, and makes advances on approved Bar Scourities.	Notes will be furnished with warrants signed by o ap- o ap- the Houghong and Shanghai Banking the Houghong and Shanghai Banking poration. By order of the Trustees, E. WHEELE	Cor-Piston and Rod: Propeller (bruss) Rod connecting complete, 1	U. B. DICK & Co.'s "L'EXTINCTEUR	bas CAKES, each weighing from 11b, to 20 ready on hand, and can make to order weighting from 11b, to 5001bs, each. Partice wishing for CAKES of a large.	be., P. M. S. S. Co.'s S. S. "JAPAN." FROM FRANCISCO AND YOKOHAM. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above size of Lading to the Understand for C
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IPCHANDLERS AND GENER STOREKEEPERS. cliest assortment at the lowest Prices NOTICE.	mentable in all Towns of importance the out the world. Bills payable in Europe or in any of above mentioned places are purchased of the control of the cont	ough- of the tf 2494 Hongkong, 29th October, 1867.	at. Rigging do. 1 Anchor. 100 Fathoms Cable,	Paices. For Engine. Charges: Ng, β — £4 222 3s \$0.83 c 4 — £4 10s 225 4s \$1.10	BUTCHER'S LAVERY STABLES. Carriages and Horses sold and ho	2303 Hongkong, 9th December, 1868 WHITEHALL, FROM LONDO ONLY ON
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so, SHIP BREAD, of best quality and ates, constant v on hand, or baked in quality at short notice.	d at 2, Queen's Read, 24th July, 1867. SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATIO	WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT	A 40 Horse Power high pressure on by Mesers Pank and Sons, in good wor order. The boilers of this yessel have been taken Spare Gear.	king No. 35, Proya and Central Market, HONGKONG.	that now Instructions to that effect.) Horses always on hand for Sale. Veterinary work carefully attended to	will be landed and stored at Considering and expense: HOLJII '1', WIFE A
CUITS, by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. lee, Conn and Rym MEAL, HOMI IN STARCH, BI-CARD SODA, SA TUS, and CREAM OF TARTAR. LOUR of best Brands constantly, on h	NY, LE HOLDERS of Certificates of Shares and Holders and Expan Navigation	in the NOTICE. ON and after the lat November, 1868, B	Pietou. 1 loard Plumber block brasses, 1 pair.	Stock is kindly invited. Families will find the best of everything may rely on their orders receiving the attention. All sorts of Provisions supplied to Families.	and of 2308 Hongkong, 10th December, 18 hest NOTICE. The DENTS AND ACCOUNTS COLLECTED	68. Consigned, who are requested to take diste delivery. Ez Donnai "7th January, 1868.
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TINDER DISPATCH For Yokohama .- Per Sultan, at noon morrow, the 18th instant. day next, the 20th instant, at daylight. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta, Per T. A. Gibb, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at

The Chronicle and Directory for 1869. THIS Work, now in the SEVENTH year 1. of its existence, will be published no early as practicable after the close of the

It will be compiled and printed at the Daily Press Office, as usual, from the best and most authentic sources, and no paine : will be spared to make the work complete. in all respects.

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He also requests that those persons who have not yet returned the printed forms which have been sent to them to fill up, will be good enough to do so by TO-MORROW.

or they will be too late to be inserted in their proper places. Any persons who have recently arrived, and to whom printed forms have not been sent, are respectfully requested to forward their names and addresses as early as possible for insertion. Daily Press Office, Dec. 14th, 1868.

THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION STUDENTS PIRST ASSISTANT, By Dr. DEVAN, with many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. Williams Orthography. Parce: In Paper Wrappers, Apply at the Daily Press Office.

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In the complainant of the distinct of the complainant of the complainant of the communities of the complainant of the com always will object, to a Government in which they have no proper voice; and the cules- Co., charged a boatman with refusal of duty. docks. Blacksmiths shop, vone to keep the public out from any power It appears the fellow was told to go and get the machinery, pumps, plant, in the direction of affairs, simply loses to the house boat ready, and wait at Peddar's wharf; bouses, and obsare.......\$100,187.87 formation and advice, and raises up on the nut work. heightened by a feeling of something like personal slight. This is, we believe, the secret of much of the wide spread discontent the coroner's jury returned a verdiet of manat present existing in this Colony regarding causing the death of a certain Chinaman while the doings of Sir RICHARD MACDONNELL stealing enals. The public do not expect perfection in an Mr. H. C. Caldwell, solicitor of the Union official more than in anyone else—and will Dock Company, appeared to watch the case on make large allowance for blunders, if they The examination of the witnesses was almost horse power, with boilers only feel that they are properly and reason- exactly the same as before the coroner, and is and I 25-horse power fied in this respect, they commence to look After a long sitting Mr. May adjustmed the upon the Government in an entirely new case until to day at 10 o'clock light. They regard it as something belongpersonal interest, and which they are more out place of abodo. or less interested in supporting. We The Inspector and yesterday the defendant believe that half the difficulties of this came to the Central-station, and represented Steam-Tog Little Orphan...... official members, as was long ago advocated sustained an injury, and had been in the Govern: Profit and Loss Account. in these columns. The power vested in the bad been before the court on several occasions GOVERNOE, who can carry any measure he as a destitute. He was not sure that the delikes, has been frequently used in such a fendant was sane. way as has been not only irbitrary, not only Sweden, and came to this port from Liverpool contrary to the interests of the colony, but in the Dutch bark Adriana Petroncila, from Less: also in direct antagonism to the best interests | which he was discharged. Now he was desti- Uncailed Capital of the mother country. We should only hir. May ordered him to be taken to the 4th Call still on

welfare of the place, is likely to go far wrong | not ship, and I really do not know what to do ; in the large majority of instances, and the with the man. After asking Mr. May to keep. To amount paid for materials used For Tokohama,-Per Shaftcabury, on Sun that the Representative of the Home Go- cases I ever had to deal with." to do whatever seems right in his own eyes, a ship would be found for him. cannot but lead to difficulties and blunders. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta-Per which might with ease be avoided if some Glengyle, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at reasonably liberal basis of representation were adopted to secure due care to the interests of the colonists, which are here, as in every other colony, intimately connected with those of the mother country.

Bals of the " Mina." The Portuguese ship Nina. 1,099 tons, was put lieve Mr. Shatswell takes command of her. ----

Meeting of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.... An extraordinary meeting of shareholders the above company was beld yesterday afternoon, at the office, Queen's road, for the purpose of confirming the special resolutions passed at the meeting held in the 1st instant. Mr. Wm diture to the smallest limit, the sand quantity Krawick occanied the chair. The CHAIRMAN after stating the objects of the weeting, put the three special resolutions, and there being no dissenting voice, they were declared confirmed and in force from this

more than the proposed number of shares, both walne of the stock of materials had ed over, and tions it was thought would reach somewhere in the neighbourhood of 3000. An allotment would accordingly be made immediately. The dividend of the old office would be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank on the 31st of the month. There being no further business the meeting then separated.

Charles Ford, a discharged seaman from A claim has been made upon the company our Tare has I.M.S. Persona, was charged with being a by Captain Endicott for remuneration for his Mandarin. Ford has been in good before, and is rather portion of the claim was for service rendered Siz.—We are now, I believe, so near to a relebrated card in consideration of his being prior to the present board entering upon their therough and antistactory, termination of the

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THE KOWLOON SHOOTING CASE. Hadjee Feroze, the watchman against whom

AN INCORDIGIBLE ROOUE. Herman A. Klane, a Swode, was charged by ing to themselves; in which they take a Inspector Crimes with being a destitute, with . Farniture at Hongkong Colony would be overcome by the simple sistence, and demanded bread and lodging. He Sandry Debtors. expedient of enlarging the number of non- knew the defendant before as a destitute, who Preliminary Expenses...

Klase said he was a native of Stremstodt, 436 shares of \$1,000

weary our readers by recapitulating the nu- Swedish consul. but shortly afterwards the paid been carried in direct opposition to the George J. Helland, the sound, which said : The man Klase is quite an incorrigible wishes of the community, and in defiance of character; he will do no work. He has now the strongest expressions of public opinion.

It is not to be believed that the united experience of men engaged in large business, loarding-house, on the condition that he should be sho and decoly interested in the progress and ship in the first vessel offering, but be will

endeavour to keep matters in such a train said :—"The man is one of the most perplexing vernment becomes on autocrat, with power Mr. May said he must send Klase to gaol for

Union Dock Company of Hongkong and Whampon, Limited. Report to be presented at the third ordinary meeting of shareholders, held on the 18th day of December, 1868. The directors regret that they are unable ; present to the shareholders a more satisfar-

tory statement for the twelve months ending on the 30th June last, but the general duliness of trade, and consequent decrease to the shipping visiting the period covered by up to public auction yesterday by Messre the accounts, will account in a great message Transfer Pees & Forfeited Shares, Bowra and Co., and knocked down to Mesars. for the result, while it must be remembered that Augustine Heard and Co. for 312,500. We be- the opening of the Hope Dock at Aberdeen offered to shipmasters advantages against which the Company, having only Docks at Whampon, were their unable successfully to contend. (1.1) Although the increased local Dock accommodation tended to withdraw a large portion of the existing docking busin as to Hongkong, it was absolutely necessary that the company's staff and Docks at Whampon should be maintained in a state of efficiency, and although the board were mitiring in their efforts of reducing expen-

> of work accomplished by the Company has resulted in the loss which appears in the ac-The Wanchai ship yard, under the arrangements concluded with Mesars. Then. Hunt & Co. on purchasing the Whampon Docks, was laken profit, but has also been satisfactory in accoung together the connection of the company.
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REVENUE ACCOUNT. pail for Labor some period,... paid for Salaries and Mess.
Money same period, paid for Towage, same period, paid for Charges including repairs of Docks, &c. same pa-Secretary's, Manager's, and Accountant's Salames, Lawyer's and Attorney's Fees, and sundry

other charges

We have examined the foregoing statements n conjunction with the Books and Vonchers of the Company, and with the Valentions of Materials, and find the same to be correct. (Signed,) W. H. RENNIE E. WHEELEY.

JOHN INGLIS.

The Difficulties in Formosa. Por a long time foreigners at the various proceeding. the post which he had held since the formation diffair, together with the arizmishes which

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILT PERSS."

Consulate at Takno, was murdored in open perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to perty to the value of many thousand dollars. Sir.—As at may be interesting to some of the vecont notification regarding the chitben to the ve pieces, and his beart caten by some of the partition of the hardinod, in the belief that the b Petam, the houses of the adherents of the port to seize him, the person sought being the Protestant Church were broken into and facted. the women driven out to the streets, and the males of the party compelied to fice for their lives to Takao. The Roman Catholics in This. wan-foo were, in the beginning of May, once and one of their number hambood and impri-the Viceregal Government at Fouchow to come both the letter and spirit of the treaty. more outraged, their premises again destroyed, somed by the district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions in district magistrate of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions and the contract of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions and the contract of Taiwan-food over and settle the various questions and the contract of the

was the professed infliction of punishment until all existing claims and grievances should were immediately posted desiring all soldiers and were sentenced, the former to 500 blows and an utter sham and deception, that on the one be settled. Placing the position in charge of the place, and a message sent to the latter to 200; and afterwards to be both an utter summ and deception, that on the other blends to be desiring him to leave also as Apping drammed round the town, with placards upon hand the bye-standard laughed, and on the other blends down, of the Algerine, and have also as Apping drammed round the town, with placards upon Shanghai Banking Corporation. 75,924.05 H. M. Accing Consul declared publicly to the ing by proclamation warned the inhabitants of the process of the considered in British possession until them stating their offence, and going sounding the British possession and the publicly to the ing by proclamation warned the inhabitants of the process of the considered in British possession until them stating their offence, and going sounding the British possession and the process of the considered in British possession until them stating their offence, and going sounding the British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the process of the considered in British possession and the possession and the process of the constant and the possession and the possession and the possession and the process of the constant and the possession and t

of the Taiwan Consulate. On the 14th of July, gave an wird mee to that gentleman, when all formed the Henethi that he must leave within July, 1867, to 30th June, 1868, \$50,368 00 a despatch was received at the Consulate from his (Mr. Gibson's) demands are granted; the 24 hours and at the same time told the own-28,03.72 the Taotai, defining to recognise Mr. Gibson removal of the Taotai of Taiwan, of the mander of a heavily armed war junk lying close as Acting British Consul, and it was not until district. Magistrate of Potagu. and of Assevers gale set in that evening, which lasted the end of August, that the Taotai would by the Amoy. Taotai taking his steamer the shore impossible but on that day humble himself to recognize the new Actings to Fachow, and there seeming the instant his tion with the shore impossible but on that day to Fachow, and there seeming the instant his tion with the shore impossible but on that day to Fachow, and there seeming the instant his tion with the shore impossible but on that day to Fachow, and there seeming the instant his tion with the shore impossible but on that day the Taotai at the Taotai and desired by the Official by the Official by the Viceroy. At the Taotai are at a fine to the total and desired by the Official and the Taotai are at the Taotai and desired by 10.714 65 of the Taotai's, as a standing insult to Lord the same time it was a reed that the British Gurdon again went on above and desired him foot and himself. Daving the month of August another episode August until the Governor and his associates she was boarded and taken as a prize.

was being transacted at Cou-chai. Mr. Picker. were removed from office. This was emicently In the afternoon, some of the principal ing, of Mesers. Ellis and Co., had proceeded satisfactory, and there could be no doubt at all Chinese Merch into came off to the Algeriae, and thither, under the per vission of Mrs. Ismisson, Stathe intentions of the Amor Taotai. On requested that the Hep-tai, should be allowed the enquire after the campbor, which in spita of the day following this conference, however, the to remain, and were informed that, unless a the Taolici's promise was not forthcoming. For Taiwan few authorities, stong by the thought of sum of \$35,000 was deposited with Lieut the Industry promise was not forthcoming. For this judges was not forthcoming for the importance authorities among by the months of Gurdon, as a guarantee that all Mr. Gibaha's this judges was not forthcoming to grant their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single possession of the next termined to retake Auping would be taken possession of the next termined to retake Auping would be acceded to the town of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant, declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant declaration of the importance of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant declaration of the importance of their sea port by a single British guahant declaration of the importance of the importa sooner knew of Mr. Pickering's baying gone to of the result of the preceding day's conference On the morning of the 25th trustworthy Con chai then he gave orders to have him destroyed. The Ting of Lok kang tried to carry out this order by means of his soldiers, but Mr. insult of the gunboat. I should e.y. that after inforced by 500 mon, a dispatch was sent to Privering happening to be a man of peculiar courage and resolution, and being well lieutenant Gordon had re-embarked his men, away the troops, and consect to moint any more acquainted also with the character of vota large number in all by any moins, ex. the Formers militia, held his ground firmly, pecting to command the place by the guns of mhabitants were at the same time told to abandefended resolutely with fire-arine the place bie vessel. On Wednesday, the 25th November. don the town, as the assault would commence

where he was linged, routed his assailants the Thiwan too authorities sent down 500 men at 3 P.M. again and again, but finally had to make his to re-occupy the place. This they did, and way with great difficulty to the sea shore, and began actively to maint gains to defend the fort were sholled at the time named, the town was then driven in a small boat by a storm to place. Lientenant, Gordon having been in being spared, and at midnight although it was Tameni in the north of the island. During all formed of this, sout a lotter to the Chinese blowing hard, and a high sea running. Lient. this time the Thotal never once attempted to military commander in the place, that if Unrdon landed with one officer and twenty. complain to the ponent of Mr. Pickering, within an hour be had not evacuated the fort three men, and stormed and took the town. or to discuss with him the quality of his and town, he Lieut Gordon, must proceed to On breaking into the Reptai's Yamen the On the 29th of August, Lord Scott and the habitants to clear out. His remonstrance was harriendes, and extinguished the lights; by the aid that applications and aircody been sent in for last, at a cost representing merely the market to a series of amorance and both the Chinese inhabitants and the author with the latter. During this interview the and shell into the lord. In the evening, Liout. Every effort was made to induce the soldiers to bere and at Shanghai; the number of application of it has not only shown a ritlest which have gradually been increasing. Taotal behaved in a most extraordinary man. Gordon received Mr. Gibson's letter, detailing the working of it has not only shown a ritlest which have gradually been increasing. Taotal behaved in a most extraordinary man. in enormity until that point was reached, mer becoming enraged, and with his fan shorply the conference of the previous damand its reserved at the conference of the previous damand and their species when breaking hir. Gibson over the hunds, and there-

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compendere himself had escaped to Takao, to here, I ventur to trouble you with a brief will be accustof that it is suggested that the continue comprisons number ban escaped to Lacato, to hat statement of what has taken place. to be worn should be that of the Ming Dynasty. port to seize him, the person sought being the ment has uncerningly personated members of with the ideas of the Chinese officials in the British Consult

At this juncture the Algerine arrived, followed prisoners—fired on them in their hongs, despited in these columns and those of dispersion and mardered their temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those of dispersion to the troyed in issionaries houses, and mardered their temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those of dispersion to the temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those of dispersions to the temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those of dispersions to the temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those to the temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns and those to the temporaries does not seen to be added in these columns. all this without one word of reference to the the foreign community, plundered merchants matter. Taotal of Amoy, who had been empowered by catechier, and in the most flagrant way violated The translationer of Mr. Acting Consul over and nettle the various questions in destances of Mr. Acting Consul over and nettle the various questions in destances of Mr. Acting Consult of the profession were niterly without avail, nor was a visit of that gentlemen, accompanied by Lieut-Profession in the profession in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence apply for sid to the naval authorities, and at a confere ce with Mr. Gibson, in the presence of presence of presence of presence of the processory proclamation in which a characteristic mode of paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, this paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on Mr. Gibson, the paid no regard whatever, and on the paid no regard whatever, and on the paid no regard whatever, and on the paid no regard whatever, and H.M.'s Gunboab Janue, to the district magisof the payal officers of the Algebine and Bustard, length with the usai tance of H.M.S. Icarus, her in which the watch dogs in the country give. In the end of June, Mr. Hardie, the agent of M In the end of June, Mr. Hardie, the agent of Indian supplied above to remove any or the one of the matter, the learning in the mean is to be the business of these within hearing of the sound to take up the wondrons take, by the merest farce, after the eight months the merest farce, after the eight months the most frivolous pretext, attacked by one of the official servants of the Like in the part of H.B.M.'s Consult guidents Algerine and Bustard, being sent to which means the plan is not in which was frequently adopted in times of danger. It matters of detail with him. At the same time interview with Mr. Gibson, in which it was in frequently adopted in times of danger. It he gave him full access to all the sources of in- interview with Mr. Gibson, in which it was was enforced in Nanking when that city was in ne gave aim that access to all the sparted in Nanking formation regarding the state of affairs in Taiwan. Plainly shown that he either had no powers at the hands of the rebels. 910.08 Foreibly in the side of the cheek with a knife.

20,411.90 Fortunately it impinged on a rib, and except the 20.411.90 Fortunately it impinged on a rib, and except the prepared a full statement of the wrongs and mistrated local government. When Mr. Gibson spoke of considerable attention among the native population.

3.800.27 wards followed, no great evil resulted. At the

urgent instance of Mr. Gibson, the Acting with the Algerine and Bustard for Auping, the that H.M. gunbouts Algerine and Luclord the room than a man aprang upon him, accused urgent instance of Mr. Gibson, the Acting with the Aggrees and England and Eng punished before Mr. Gibson at the place where | took possession of it, and of Fort Zelandia, to | On arrival they found the town in charge of and gave Information at the Che Heien's the obtrage occurred. So manifestly, however, be held thenceforth as a material guarantee, a Hep-tai, with a few men, and proclamations Yamon. The man and woman were arrested,

July and immediately forwarded despatches to informed the Amoy Taotai of the proceedings of Anning, and Lieutenant Gardon, commandthe various yamens announcing his assumption at Auping, and on Pieslay, the 24th November. ing the graduat, then went on shore and in-

. No answer being received, the batteries and shell it. At the came bour be warned the in- guard room was fundfull of soldiers, who formed

ficulty as existing in the city, and has issued A

Total \$455,259.46

Total \$455,25

ceed shortly himself, for the purpoto cross, from the opposite direction between Assam and Szechwen, from w been turned back by the Chinesa. Li-bung-chang bas arrived at Yang large number of troops en rouls for A Native reports assign a hostile a ne visit, and ramours are prevalent the to up set the arrangements made he hurst, and even aspires to take the Ri The Taputai has issued a product corning beggars, which we give else from which it will be seen that stop taken to provide them with food devis weather, and a house of refuge dutar will also be established. The Asiatio Society are taking obtain a library, and will make any in render it available for the whole pu the volumes will be lent upon compl ertain formalities necessary to afficient working of the establishme

Chinese-British Subject We (North China Daily News) sul Intion of a memorial that has been nixteen Chinese descended British H. B. M. Minister on the subject notification regarding the dress. have done better perhaps to bar the notion that it lies in the post Alcook or any other British authoris cribe what clothes they shall wear.

To SIE RUTHERFORD ALCOC. H. B. M. & Enpoy Katraordi Plenipotentiary, and Chief Non Trads in China. The Petition of the unders Subjects, of Chinese descent, reside hal: HUMBLY SHEWETH: That your Petitioners have read considered Your Excellency's disratification, dated at Pekin the 7th dis 1868; relating to the conditions Chinese descended British Subject or travel in China under British pr your Petitioners while humbly so Your Excellency's Notification, the following suggestion for Your l consideration and approval. let.-As to change of the dress ce lency while ordering a change in seat Chinesa costumo dors not usa liberty to adopt a mode for them pumber of Chinese of the lower cia Buglish, French, and American not being Chinese descended Brit are attired wholly or partially in suc thereby appearing more like Por no contes than British, while they Chipose barn British anbjeots who ha Chineso dress and assumed Europa 2nd. Your Petitioners buml ly feelings, as well as more agree dies ad as Chinese descended Britis! they be allowed to assume as in local angestral dress worm during the Mi for this reason, that their forefath Chinese, were forced two bonds of the conquest of their country in Tartars, to seek the hospitality

respect to officials presiding in a C of Justice, but only such respect oot with English custom, they le

word, and only amountle to Britis

Hongkong, Wednesday During the early part of 'o'd appearing in the market us a se at \$6224 on cash terms, and it t cheate are reported to have been vices from Shanghai baving be encouraging for Bongal drur, a b Were it not for the readinass on t holders to always meet the de face of a small supply and so have been ruling now, No cupy has been given to the market, thing it has been belood to cont trot style. The stock is grad reduced, and should the deman further advance before long is established. It is, however, sur the market, with the view of I forward to Calcutta by the di The following may be taken a quotations .- Patna, \$625 to \$6 68274 gredit and time; for the arrive much about same: Hen

Malwa \$6624 to \$6674; little-dah Beyond reporting the foll win is conrecty enything of imports with royard to the other deports Shirtings at \$2.65, 250 pieces W at \$2.00, 200 pieces Obints at 4 Handkerobiefe at \$1.15, 900 piece at \$2.55 to \$2.75. 500 pieces 8 at 70 cents, and 25 bales 28/62 Raw Cotton has been in wo sales to-day amount to 200 hal \$19.50 to \$20.50, and 50 bales E There is nothing to report in sh

EXCHANGE On London. sank Bills, at 6 months' Credits. at 6 mouths' .ie Documentary Bills. at 6 months sigh Bank Bills on demand,

ON SHAKOHAL. Bank, 3 days sight. Private, 30 days sigh ON CALCUTTA, -Hank, 3 days' BOMBAY. Bank. S days si Houghong Bank Shares, O! I. H'kong C'ton & Macao St at Union Dock Shares, Hongkong Gas Company's : ha Longkong Hotel Company,

SALES ON DECEMBER: 1 As reported by I be O en Shietings, 8-4 lbs., 1 .00 by Turner & Co. to Fook-k. 4. Grey Shirtings, 7.1bs., 7,000 by Jardine, Matheson & Co. to Bombay Cotton, 225 bales, o hold, Karberg & Co. to Yuez-Bombay Cotton, 100 bales, at see merchant to Chuen-shing. Calculta Cotton, 51 bales, at see merchant to Man-hing. Calculla Collon, 100 bales, 1 bboy & Co. to Yuet-wo-loor g. Dried Persimons, 200 package y Yue cheong to Canton rier Green Peas, 400 piculs, s foang to Hongkong merchant. White Sugar, 300 bags, a to Japan merchant. White Sugar, 200 bage, at \$ to Hongkoug merchant. Red Dates, 50 bags, at The to travelling merchant. Vermicelli, 40 bags, at \$5.4 loong to Sismere merchant Yellow Waz, 20 piculs, at foong to Canton merchant. to Canton merchant, Red Shirtings, 200 pieces, at focus to Hongkong merchant Tin, 200 pieces, at \$25.00 Canton merchant. Tia, 50 pieces, at \$26.00 \

Rice. 1.500 picule, at 3! to Wing-yeen. Yne-cheong to Canton merchs Flatfish, 100 packages, it cheong to Canton merchant

Canton merchant.

ardel and taken as a prize. ofternoon, some of the principal erch ints came off to the Algerine, and that the Hop-tai should be allowed and were informed that, unless a \$35,000 was deposited with Lieut. should be acceded to the town of ould be taken possession of the next and the Hep tai taken prisoner. marning of the 25th, trustworthe e heing received that the place was ongly fortified, and had been re-500 mm, a dispatch was sent to tai, telling him that unless he sent mops, and ceased to mount any more ping would be first upon, and the a wore at the same time told to aban-

the war junk having also remained,

own, as the assault would commence war being received, the batteries and shelled at the time named, the town ed and at midnight although if was ard, and a high sea running. Lieut. nded with one officer and twentyand stormed and took the town. wing into the Heptai's Yamen the andertinguished the lighth; by thould s. however, the assailants forced; an a kand to hand fight took place. t was mivle to induce the soldiers to heir arms, but without avail and on Gurdon, the order was given to breaking down a door in their rear ediately ficil. Sentries were then he men, none of whom had received and, were allowed a short rest. the little force was concentrated hed to the gate leading to a wide ont of the town, where they merive e to muct a large body of the enemy to retake Attring - these troops were nandaria hearing a yellow flig, and her sharp engagement took place, in at. Gurdon, faking advantage of an at, completely issued the enemy, e loss or wounding of a single man. on was then surveyed, sentries stariendes thrown up, and a strict watch he snowy did not be appear. 27th November, H. M. gunbont Busi with Mr. Gibson, and Lacut. John: with 18 men to reinforce the Alew. who were very much fatigue !, nul to keep watch night and interview their took place be-Chinese "Authorities and the d'Commanders of the guidboats: in former promised to accede to all oping rem uning in British possession claims are paid: Mr. Gilmon's domands have already that it hat, owing to this gentle dom and determin tion, and ther gal lact of Lientenant Gardon, and the w his command, bac redress been oba series of fivernut offences, extended period of many months. Had former oted in a like manuer, such vigorous would probably not have been necesough events may perhaps still bare all for the best, since it is to be the treaty-breaking Mardatine all! bave learned a lesson they will note: get, that there are still Consuls who to aphold the dignity of the British ent; and care for the interests of Bri-

White properties and the second News from the North Erl King, Captain Pinels we have papers to the 12th inst. from which one the Mooth Unind Herald." All stoy-sottlement ville mitch between Bhaughai and Yokohamit, bus been Intter with a score of 589 Points." atr. Imperatrice and the str. Brt. got ashere on the morning of the the neighbourhold of the Heston, I d that both were deceived by the postwas also on shore, all three ships

ith December, 1868.

OBBERVER

ay from Nanking that Li is going to king up lik appointment at Wuchang as General of the two Hoo. The Taotai haj left on Snuday in the Tlencket; to capeets to bind.
Nagaiski we are glid to hear that.
Adventure dul succeed in getting the or escape. They had bud weather al and on one night so atmised the had-

next mirring, it parted. The Advanture ploked her up again and brought her. deali on Friday night, late. The morthe fearur men have been taken in the Sincwhord sthat is, nine out of eleven f one bae committed Harikarn, and rt has been mentioned that Hakonadi taken by the northern party it is rried off from Yaddo somo wasks ago. ingo Herald learns that five Japanese

are on shire near Neegata, three beo Prince Satauma and two to Chosin, on and another steamer, which were in blow that cannot the above vessels to ore, weighed anchor; and pub to sea, ing themselves from the storm that total loos, in the same neighbourhood." ritish stemmer Nangata Captain Cato; the Derouledo of H.LM. Navy2 All cluding Captain Calo, were drowned, iteamur aminhad to atoms. The Bishop ris has concecrated the nemetery. use has been arected near; Onika cutte the Hongkong mint machinery) and is:

as focal news is concerned, the past been almost a blank. The most interpio has hada a petition that has been p by the British subjects of native de-Sir Butherford Alcock in reference to t notification regarding the chithes to the interior of the country. We give of it in another column, from which it seen that it is surprested that the costude bru should be that of the Ming Dynasty. some this will scarcely be accordance ideas of the Chinese officials in the normus of disorderly characters recently in these columns and those of our con-

" Supremo Court & Consular Gazette."

fres, dues not seem to be confined to the nts. The Che Haieunotices the same difis existing in the city, and has issued a ation in which a characteristic mode of the trouble is ordered to be adopted. as stated by a local paper, he heat des-s an arrangement whereby every man wholey. Taking a hint from the manwhich the watch dogs in the country give the Che-Haigh orders that every man ing a thiel shall raise the marus by a hollow bamboo or a gong; and that it the business of those within Learing of and to take up the wondrous tale, by neans the alarm will be spread over the ity. The plan is not a new one; but ently adopted in times of danger, It orced in Nanking when these city was in

ds of the rebels. se of obtaining goods under false prutenoccurred in the city, which has attracted sublication among the native populashop and purchased sandry dresses, &c., he shopman to come with her to her bouse in the money. On arriving there, she im to come upstairs; and, after some best e consented. No spiner had he entered in than a man spring upon bin, accused being there for unlawful purposes, gave severa thrashing and endeavoused to exmeyfrom him. He contrived to get away ive information at the Che-Hsien's The man and woman were arrested e sentanced, the former to 500 blows and ter to 200; and afterwards to be both ed round the town, with placards upon aring their offence, and gongs sounding let the notice of the populace. Interperter who accompanied Mr. T. T. on his recent journey, intends to go with Lulia, whither that gentleman will pro-

ceed shortly himself, for the purpose of trying to cross, from the opposite direction, the route between Assau and Szechnen, from which he has THE HONGKONG FIRE INSUGANCE

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been turned back by the Chinese. Li-hong-chang bas arrived at Yanchew with a large phintier of troops en route for Ambingtoo. APITAL 2000,000 DOLLARS, IN 2,000 Native reports assign a hostile aspect to this visit, and rumours are prevalent that be interely to up set the arrangements made by Mr. Medburst, and even aspires to take the Rodney. The Tantai has issued a proclamation con-cerning beggars, which we give elsewhere and from which it will be seen that steps are being taken to provide them with food during the cold weather, and a house of refuge outside the city

will also be established. The Asiatic Society are taking steps : obtain a library, and will make arrangement to reather it available for the whole public, to whom the volumes will be lent upon compliance with certain tormalities necessary to secure the efficient working of the catablishment.

Thinese-British Subjects. We (North China Daily News) subjoin a trans. Company, under the same management and lation of a memorial that has been addressed by with increased Camital. H. B. M. Minister on the subject of his late the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the notification regarding the dress. They would amount of the Capital luving been fixed at have done better perhaps to have repudinted I Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that the notion that it lies in the power of Sir R. Insurers will be amply sebured, thereby, while Alcock or any other British authority to pres- at the same time each shareholder will know ribe what clothes they shall wear. TO SIE RUTHERVOED ALGOOR, K.O.B.

H. B. M's Envoy Extraordinary, Minister large sum, and provision will be made for the Plenipotentiary, and Chief Superintendent oreation of an imple Reserve Fund, which will, Trade in China. Petition of the undersigned British to an amount practically to give the fullest se-Bubjects, of Chinese descent, resident in Shang- curity both to Lasurers and Insured, irrespect selected with great care to meet the require tive of the unpaid Capital. al : HUMBLY SHEWETH: It is intended to anticipate the termination That your Putitioners have read and chrefully considered Your Excellency's dispatch and No. of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and tification, dated at Pekin the 7th day of October, after the 31st. December next, and measures are 1989, relating to the conditions under which being taken for that purpose.
Chinese descended Dribleh Subjects may realds. In anticipating in ouccessful encour for the or travel in China under British protection, and New Company, it is only necessary to present your Petitioners while humbly submitting to to the public the results of the Old Company, Your Excellency's Notification, beg to submit since its establishment in May, 1866, as exhithe following suggestion for Your Excellency's bited by the following figures:

- the following suggestion for Your Excellency's bited by the following figures:

- The total premiums collected from lat .- As to change of the dress. Your Excellency while ordering a change from the present Chinese costume does not name any particular dress, and your Petitioners request the The losses which have been paid

liberty to adopt a mode for themselves, they within the same period have object to any European dress, because a great number of Chinese of the lower classes, in the and include the large sum of \$85,270 English, French; and American Settlements, lost by the Fire at Hongkong in No-not being Chinese descended British subjects, vamber, 1867. are attired wholly or partially in such a nostume. The amount now at the Credit of the thereby appearing sabre live Portuguese or half castes than British, while they know of no Chincee born British subjects who have discarded Chinese draw and assumed European costume 2nd. Your Petitioners hambly submit, as a expectations of success, and it is but reasonable change more in consonance with their parsonal to expect that, strongthened with larger Cap). It is not a subjects of a free nation, and one by the block more everthey could be readily distinguish. The Old Company, when it entered the field, they be allowed to assume as in accordance with the one, in taking over the national of the one.

Your Excellency's Notifications aforesaid, their connections of the Old Company, will at once another dress worn during the Ming dynasty; for this reason, that their forefathers being pure Chinese, were forced two hundred years ago by the conquest of their conducty by the Mancha Tarters, to seek the hospitality of neighbouring countries, and notably that of Great Britain; The following the countries of the conductions of the Countries and notably that of Great Britain; under whose equal laws and wise institutions they have up to this time continued to enjoy ponce, and comparative prosperity, 3rd Your Potitioners are willing to pay due espect to officials presiding in a Chinese Court if Justice, but only much respect as is commistent with English custom, they looking upon hemselves as British in every sense of word, and only amonable to British, laws an And your Petitioners will ever pray, &c.

has been given to the market, and if any

thing it has been helped to continue in a jo-

further advance before long is likely to be

Malwa 30021 to \$6671, little doing

Handkerohlefs at \$1.15, 900 pieces Turkey Red

at \$2,55 to \$2.75. 500 pieces Spanish Stripe

at 70 cents, and 25 bales, 28/32 Yarn at \$142)

Raw Cotton has been in some request; un

sales to-day amount to 200 bales Bombay a

\$19.50 to \$20.50, and 50 bales Bengal at \$16.25

Uredits, at 6 months sight,

at 6 months sight,

SHARES.

H'kong & W'poa Dock, Old....(nom.) 4 dist.

SALES ON DECEMBER 16TH, 1868.

As reported by Chinese.

G on Shirtings, 8-4-Iba., 1,000 pieces, at \$2.65,

by Jardine, Matheson & Co. to Honghong mer-

Bombay Cotton, 225 bales, at \$14.50, by Arn-

Bombau Calton, 100 bales, at \$20,05, by Par-

Culcutta Cotton, 51 hales, at \$16.25, by Par

Calculta Cotton, 100 bales, at \$19.75, by Gub-

Dried Persimons, 200 packages, at Tls. 3.0.0.,

Green Poas, 400 piculs, at \$1.73; by Kim-

White Sugar, 300 bags, at \$6,65, by How-wo

White Sugar, 200 bags, at \$5.30, by How-wo

Red Dates: 50 hags; at Tla. 3.4.0., by How-wo

Vermicelli, 40 bags, at \$8.40, by Pook wing-

Yellow Waz, 20 piculs, at \$65.00, by Hung

Gambodge, 5 picule, at \$68.00, by Hung-foong

Red Shirtings, 200 pieces, at \$2.70, by Hung-

to Wing-youn. 200 packages, at Tle. 3.0.0.,

Finifish, 100 packages, at \$3.30, by Yns-

hold, Karberg & Co. to Ynet-wo-loong

New 20 to 25 ...

There is nothing to report in shares.

Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight,

Documentary Bills.

Bank Bills on demand...

Bank, 8 days' sight..... Private, 80 days' sight.

Hongkong Bank Shares, Old ...

by Turner & Co. to Fook-kee.

see merchant to Chuen-shing.

buoy & Co. to Yuet-wo-loong.

forms to Hongkong merchant.

to Japan merchant.

to Hougkong merchant.

to travelling merchant.

to Canton merchant.

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loong to Siamese merchant.

foung to Canton merchant.

by Yuc-cheong to Canton merchant.

see merchant to Man-hing.

ON CALCUTTA.—Bank, 3 days' sight....
Bom hak.—Bank, 3 days' sight....

H'kong C'ton & Macao Steam Bont

China Traders' Insurance Company's

OR LORDON.

ON SHANGHAL.

calls to be determined upon ab. General Meetings of the shareholders. in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capitul, such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 20th June, and 30th December. The profits ofter deducting the said Interest LO-YEUN-YEW. to be applied thus, 20 per cent, pre rate, amongst such of the shareholders as shall TAT. CHOON LENG. and Fourteen Others. have contributed or influenced business to the Company, and the remainder in forming a Reserve Fund of \$250,000. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENC -When such Reserve Fund shall have been Hongkong, Wednesday Evening. During the early part of to day the drug market remained rather quiet, one bolder appearing in the market as a seller of Patna

Beyond reporting the following sales, there selected from the leading houses in Lone

necumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus; 20 per cent to be distributed as already montioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed business to the Company; at \$8222, on each terms, and at this rate a few 30 per cent, to the augmentation of the Reserve Fund until it shall reach \$1,000,000, chests are reported to have been placed. Advices from Shanghai having been somewhat encouraging for Bengal drug, a better tone has at which figure it is to be permanently whintained; and the remaining 50 per cent, to be distributed by way of dividend amongst been imported to the market since the arrival of the Br! King, and holders are rather firm the shareholders generally. Were it not for the readiness on the part of the olders to always meet the demand, in the face of a small supply and steady demand-from native quarters, much better prices would

Managors, with the assistance of a Consulting have been ruling now. No aupport whatever The Funds of the Company to be deposited in Banks or in Government Scaurities, aptrut style. The stock is gradually getting proved of by the Committee. reduced, and should the demand continue, a

The Dead of Association muy be inspected at the Office of the General Managers, or at the undue pressure will be brought to bear upon the market, with the view of low prices going Office of Mr. HERRY C. CALDWELL, the Soliciforward to Calcutta by the direct steamers. tor of the Company. 2m 2206 Hongkong, 16th Documber, 1868. The following may be taken as the closing quotations:—Patna, \$625 to \$6261 cash, and \$6274 credit and time, for the 12th sales to arrive much about same; Benares, \$625 to \$62 for the present meason, (which have been

is scarcely anything of importance to notice | don,) bog to call the attention of the Public of with regard to the other departments of trade. Hongkong to the same, which are offered at the Transactions amount to 2,350 pieces 8/4 Grey most reasonable prices, they consist of Shirtings at \$2.65, 250 pieces White Shirtings Naval and Military BLUE BROADS. at \$2.00, 200 pieces Chintz at \$2.20, 400 doz. West of England BROADS and DOESE Naval and Military BLUE BROADS.

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F. W. MITCHELL

T HAVE this day authorised Mr. C. LANGmy name, appending his initials thereto, and I alone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon cyders so nigued. tf 2287 Hongkong, 5th December, 1868. W. E baye this day established a branch of our Firm at Shanebal. KIRCHNER, BOGER & Co.

37d 2207 Hougkong, 19th November, 1868. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. Wat-LIAM NEITHON IN OUR Firm peased on the Soth June last.
Mr. Tomas Piu, Mr. William Nishet
Olmsted, and Mr. H. Seynour Geart, are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. 41. 1001 Hongkong, 6th October, 1863. ENOTICE ALL OF THE S.

T HAVE this day established myself as a Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, and General Commission Agent. tf 1243 Hongkong, let July 1868. DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. OTICE is horoby given that the Partnership intely subsisting between us the Undersigned Hoon McDoudata Sauvel

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JAMES HENDERSON. 2m 1931 Hongkong, 10th October, 1868. HAVE authorized Mr. H. MEYNR to sign my firm per prosuration. OSOAR STAMMANN. 7d 2341 Tientsin, 16th November, 1888. aired thought o NOTION / "C. (D. St.) Y Business of Auctioneer and General Broker will from this date be continued

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SCHWANBECK & THIEL tf 2243 Saigon, 14th November, 1868. T. HAVE established myself at this port, as A GENERAL COMMISSION - MERCHANE, onder the style and firm of GIFFORD F. PAR-

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

HAVE this day admitted Mr. J. Taurisev a partner in my business, which will n future be carried on under the style and firm GROTE & TEULISHN. 3m 1945 Ningpo, 1st October, 1868.

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